

BANNER CAMP ALL USUAL TONNAGE SET TO GREET THE NEW YEAR OF 1923

"Tonopah Way," the Progressive Way, Attracts World-Wide Attention

The curtain of Time is nearly down on the year 1922—a good old year—one filled with many joys and disappointments, but Tonopah, the banner silver mining camp of the world, the great stonchance of the white metal, is rejoicing for the year of 1923 is rich in promise, so rich that all that has gone before can scarcely be compared with its possibilities.

With almost every section of the United States suffering or having suffered from stagnation, Tonopah has maintained the even tenor of its progressive way, steadily a comet passing across the horizon to mark one of the most wonderful years in the history of the camp's production. The "Tonopah way" has attracted attention the world over and during the past twelve-month period many noted financiers have become interested in the great possibilities of Tonopah and more intense development in the mineral resources of Tonopah, Nye county, and the whole of southern Nevada. Capitalists have visited the district and their enthusiasm has been without bounds and as the mining camp develops upon 1923 the dawn of the new year's light casts a rosy glow upon the future that portends wealth, health and happiness to the people of the best mining camp on earth.

The official reports of the various great producing mining companies of Tonopah are sufficient to dispel any doubt of the accomplishments and possibilities. These reports, followed usually after month, show that a great stream of wealth in the form of bullion has gone forth to the marts of the world, and they further show that the possibilities of increased production is without limit.

RETIRING SHERIFF UNDER ARREST AS HIGH JACKER

Charged With Stealing \$30,000 Worth of Booze from Polk County, Iowa Jail

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 30.—War rants were issued for the arrest of Winthrop M. Robb, Polk county sheriff until Jan. 1, and his brother, Deputy Sheriff George Robb, in connection with the theft of \$30,000 worth of liquor from the Polk county jail liquor room last Wednesday night. Both are in custody. Charges against the sheriff were made by William McMurray, Polk county jailer, after McMurray had been locked out of his own jail under the sheriff's orders, and after McMurray's son had been arrested by order of Assistant County Attorney Seeburger for alleged complicity in the liquor thefts. McMurray charged that on Aug. 5 Sheriff Robb sold more than 70 quarts of whiskey to L. F. Hill, proprietor of the American Printing & Lithographing company, and a prominent democratic politician. "It is an atrocious lie," said Hill.

FORMER TONOPAH MINER IS DEAD AT BISHOP

Daniel W. McDonald, a sufferer for years from an injury received while working in the Mibah mine at Tonopah, passed away Christmas morning. He was a native of Canada, aged about 64 years. His life was spent in the west from the days of the Leadville boom in 1879, when he went to that camp. He is survived by his wife and two children, Avis and Matthew.

FIRE AT BLAIR JUNCTION DESTROYS RESIDENCE

The residence of E. J. Johnson, former postmaster and merchant of Blair Junction, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday night. The building had been unoccupied but had been used that evening by a merry crowd who had tendered a dance in compliment to the new postmaster, M. M. Holland. The cause of the fire is unknown.

ACTIVITY IS THE WATCHWORD AT OUTSIDE MINES

Development in Shaft Workings Compare Favorably With Any Previous Week

Developments in West End shaft workings during the week after Christmas, or for the seven-day period ending December 30, showed no let up and compare favorably with work performed in any like period during the past few months. The mill tonnage produced during the week was about 1750 tons, while development footage was 207 feet. The official report follows:

From the West End shaft workings on crosscut 418 made good headway without change to report. Drift 404-A made fair progress on ore of low grade. Drift 404-B made a small advance on low grade vein material. Raise 441-B made a fair advance with no change to report. Crosscut 452 No. 1 has been discontinued.

From the Ohio shaft workings, drift 418 No. 1 made fair headway on low grade ore. Crosscut 453 made a small advance with no change to report. Raise 456 shows narrow stringers of good ore. Crosscut 454-A has been started from 454 raise. Drift 455 No. 8 made a small advance with no change to report. Drift 485 No. 2 made fair progress on mill ore. Crosscut 489 made the new advance without change to report.

Regular progress was performed on Tonopah "70" ground with no change to report. Mill tonnage for the week was about 1750 tons and development footage 207 feet.

PROMINENT CITIZENS SUFFERS LIGHT STROKE

While walking along Main street this morning, and when in front of the Lothrop Davis company store, A. H. Keenan, real estate agent, suffered a slight stroke of paralysis on the right side. He dropped to the sidewalk and was carried into the store and later was conveyed to his home. Dr. McLeod advised that the patient be removed to the Mine Operators' hospital for a few days to receive special treatment, and predicts a complete recovery in a short time.

CLARENCE SAGE HAS BEEN GIVEN FREEDOM

Clarence Sage who was railroaded to the Arizona state prison for a crime which he never committed, being a frameup by the Wobblies after a labor strike, and who was convicted on the perjured testimony of a woman who has since confessed that she testified falsely, being paid for the same, was released from the Arizona state prison last Sunday by Governor Campbell. His sentence having been commuted. Immediately upon his release Mr. Sage left for Los Angeles to join his family. Sage resided for many years at Goldfield and was well known throughout Nevada, and has many friends who will rejoice at his vindication of the crime for which he was charged.

TWO TELEGRAMS AWAITING DELIVERY

There is a telegram being held unclaimed at the Western Union telegraph office addressed to Jim Lecky; also a telegram for Don Hunter.

VARISITY BOYS MEET DEFEAT

Last night at the High School gym the Varsity boys went down to defeat the second time before the Tonopah High School boys with a score of 45 to 27. The fans were treated to a fast exciting game from start to finish. In the girls' game the Tonopah High School defeated the picked team of former girl graduates. The seventh grade boys' team is now anxious to lock horns with the Varsity boys, being confident that they can show the college boys how

VISITING ELKS

Big Watch party at Elks' club, Sunday, Dec. 31, at 8 p. m.; cards, billiards, orchestral concert from 9 to 12. Refreshments; dancing, Jan. 1, 1923, at 12:01 a. m. For Elks and their ladies. Your card admits you to the big event. You are special guests. Tonopah Lodge No. 1062, B. P. O. Elks.

Fans attention! Don't overlook the indoor baseball game at the Pythian auditorium Saturday night at 7, between the Elks and Ymps. Tickets, 25c.

Royston, Eden Creek and Bellehelen Properties Prepared For Active Campaigns

Roseate prosperity and intense activity is forecasted for the outlying districts of Nye and Esmeralda counties for the year of 1923. Expenditures aggregating into many thousands of dollars are outlined for the coming year.

Among outside properties that are attracting attention are the Hudson Mining company, the Eden Creek Mining company, and Bellehelen Merger Mines company.

In order to secure power for both sinking and drifting a new 55-horsepower engine is being installed at the shaft of the Hudson Mining company at Royston. After the engine is installed tonnage will be produced and sinking continued at the same time. After Jan. 1 a carload of ore will be broken from a two-foot stringer that gives \$100 values.

At Eden Creek, the bore now is in almost 900 feet, there has been a decided change of structural conditions in the last 300 feet, the formation becoming softer and rapid progress now is being made with a minimum cost of \$0.75 per foot, according to a statement by Mark G. Bradshaw, manager.

The Eden Creek company was the first outside company organized eighteen months ago when mining appeared at the lowest cobb. Los Angeles capital became interested to the extent of \$50,000 and development has proceeded steadily ever since. For the past twenty feet the formation is showing mineral impregnation—iron sulphides and oxide in such quantities to warrant belief that the vein is closer than was expected by several hundred feet.

E. W. Fisher, representing Chicago capital, has taken over five claims adjoining the estate of the Bellehelen Mines company at Bellehelen recently bought by Henry Weber and E. A. Markham shortly after their arrival from Buena Vista, Colo. This is the third sale effected within the past week through the management of the Bellehelen-Merger Mines company, which recently arranged for building a 50-ton mill. More than 12,000 feet of lumber is on the ground as four truck loads of material went out to camp a few days ago.

DOPE FIEND STEALS ALL KINDS ARTICLES

In the justice court this morning Judge Cuddy gave Walter Makomson a 90-day sojourn in the county jail. Makomson arrived here a week ago from Reno and is a drug fiend of the pronounced type. A few days ago he was hailed before the justice court and given a flouter, of which he failed to take advantage. Since then he has been pilfering stores and lodging houses along Main street. In the Kendall house he stole five ensopors, a cot and a flash light. He visited the Lothrop Davis store where he lifted another flash light; at the Bertrand rooming house he confiscated a coat and a pair of gold spectacles; at the Miners' Drug store he pocketed a ladies' manure set and a pair of scissors. During the next 90 days he will have ample time to ponder over his shortcomings.

TONOPAH SOON TO HAVE A NEW CAFE

Sam Wilcox, who has been engaged for many years in the restaurant business in Reno, after a week's investigation of Tonopah's business possibilities, left this morning for Reno and will return with a modern equipment, including a \$5000 refrigerator plant, preparatory to opening a first class restaurant in the near future.

JUDGE M. R. AVERILL MOVES HIS OFFICE

Judge Averill has been busy the last few days removing his personal library to his new office, located on the second floor of his residence in front of the court house. The judge intends to take up private practice after the first of the year.

Everybody will want to see the indoor baseball game Saturday night at 7 at the Pythian auditorium between the Elks and Ymps. Tickets, 25c.

PERSONAL

JACK NAY and family of Bailey creek are here today visiting.

MRS. CHARLES HUDGINS was an arrival from Los Angeles last evening.

P. A. McCARREN, the attorney, returned to his home in Reno this morning.

FRANK HORTON of the Weepah Electric Mining company, was an arrival this morning from Oakland.

W. J. HART, who has been in different Arizona and California mining sections since last July, returned this morning.

MRS. DELIA BURKE returned this morning from Kingman, Ariz., where she has been visiting her son for the past month.

FRANK E. BELL, democratic county commissioner-elect, was an arrival yesterday from his ranch at Reese river. He was accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Sadie Bell and her three children.

MRS. E. T. USSHER and son arrived this morning from Miami, Ariz., to join Mr. Usher who is employed by the Tonopah Extension Mining company. They have taken one of the Extension cottages.

MISS MAE C. MACLEOD, one of the deputies in the recorder and auditor's office, returned this morning from the coast where she has been visiting for the past month. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Harriet, who will visit here for a few days before returning to her home at Millet.

L. H. HATHAWAY and wife leave tomorrow by auto for a tour of northern and southern California with the intention of finding a business location. Mr. Hathaway has been manager of the Mine Workers' Mercantile company for the past two years and leaves a host of friends in Tonopah who wish him and his wife success where ever they cast their lot.

INDOOR BASEBALL AT AUDITORIUM TONIGHT

Tonight at the Pythian auditorium the Elks and Ymps will play indoor baseball. The game promises to be very exciting as there is considerable rivalry between the two teams. Both teams boast of a number of stars in the lineup and the spectators will no doubt be treated to an exciting contest. The game will be followed by a jitney dance.

CUSTOM OFFICERS SEIZE BOOZE IN HONOLULU

HONOLULU, Dec. 30.—Prohibition enforcement agents and customs officials seized 132 bottles of liquor, including brandy, wine, curacao and vermouth aboard the United States army transport Dodge, which just arrived from Japan. Customs officers said that two of the ships officers will be examined in connection with the seizure.

PYTHIAN SISTERS DANCE

Everybody is invited to come to the Pythian Sisters Yama-Yama dance at the Pythian auditorium on New Year's night. Jazz Muckers orchestra. No children under 15 admitted unless accompanied by parents and no children under 15 allowed on the floor.

CHURCHES

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Masses at 8 a. m. and 10 a. m. Sunday school after the 10 o'clock mass. Evening devotions at 7:30 o'clock.

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THE WEATHER
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Current 25 31
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Relative humidity 83 63
Temperatures, Extreme 1922 1921
Maximum yesterday 32 43
Minimum yesterday 19 36

AMUSEMENTS

ROY STEWART AND JOHNNY HINES ON TODAY'S BILL
"Back to Yellow Jacket," starring Roy Stewart and Kathleen Kirkham will be the feature picture at the Butler today. This is the screen version of Peter B. Kyne's stirring story of the same name which appeared in Cosmopolitan Magazine, and relates in a graphic manner the near-tragedy which befell three people—Jim Ballantyne, Carmen, his wife, and William Carson, who befriended her in her hour of need. It has been declared to be as engrossing a picture as the screen has known in a very long time, and promises to be a real treat. Added to the program, Johnny Hines, in his latest comedy, "Torchy and Orange Blossoms."

Tomorrow, the last and exciting chapter of "Robinson Crusoe," which closes in thrilling climax, together with diversified program including Buster Keaton, in "My Wife's Relations," "How to Grow Thin," an educational one-reel special; and Ruth Roland, in "The Timber Queen." Monday, "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court."

"CONNECTICUT YANKEE" HERE
NEW YEAR'S DAY
There is nothing like starting the New Year off right, and with that object in view, and after considering and reviewing all the big pictures of the year, Mark Twain's funniest story—"A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court"—was selected for the New Year's program—the story which has made thousands laugh, has been pictured and is now making millions roar with merriment. It is considered one of the greatest pictures that has ever been shown on any screen. It took a Connecticut Yankee to prove that the much vaunted Knights of the Round Table could not fight. With one revolver, one horse, and one well-coiled rope, he licked the whole tin-tuited outfit. Not all of the action takes place in the Middle Ages. There is a pretty modern love romance, and this romance, by a stroke of Twain's genius, is woven into the Yankee's medieval adventures. The picture is a wonder. On Tuesday another excellent picture, "Dangerous Curve Ahead," a Rupert Hughes story.

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